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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re application of : Attorney Docket No. PUPPELS  
Applicant: Gerwin Jan PUPPELS et al. : GAU: Unknown  
Application No. 10/537,074 : Conf. No. 8236  
Filed: December 2, 2003 : Examiner: Unknown  
For: "USE OF HIGH WAVENUMBER  
RAMAN SPECTROSCOPY FOR  
MEASUREMENT TISSUE" :  
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February 13, 2006

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

**S I R:**

Applicant hereby petitions to extend the term for response to file a reply to the Notice to Missing Requirements of November 21, 2005 now set to expire on January 21, 2006 by a period of *1 Month to February 21, 2006* or such other term required to render the instant response timely.

	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Over 500 Employees</u>
One Month	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ 60.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$ 120.00
Two Months	<input type="checkbox"/> 225.00	<input type="checkbox"/> 450.00
Three Months	<input type="checkbox"/> 510.00	<input type="checkbox"/> 1,020.00
Four Months	<input type="checkbox"/> 795.00	<input type="checkbox"/> 1,590.00
Five Months	<input type="checkbox"/> 1,080.00	<input type="checkbox"/> 2,160.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 080750**.

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136 or other applicable rule to have the response period extended the number of months necessary to render the attached communication timely if a petition is required.

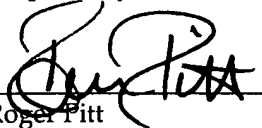
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